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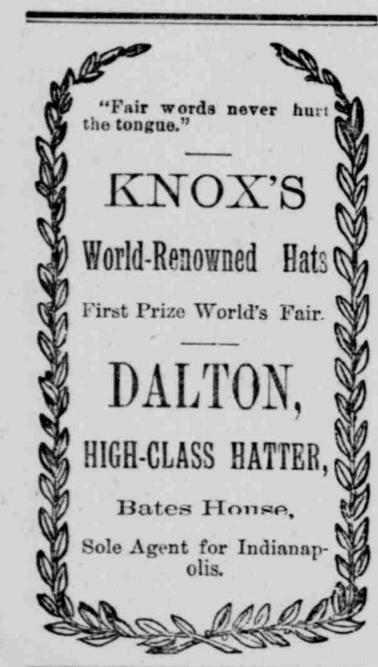
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FAVORING THE CANAL.

Philadelphia Wants Co-Operation in Behalf of the Nicaraguan Scheme.

The Board of Trade has received a communication from the Philadelphia Board of Trade embodying a resolution recently adopted by that body, and urging similar action on the part of the Indianapolis board, The resolution is as follows:

"The Philadelphia Board of Trade wishes to urge the importance of an early completion of the Nicaragua canal. The through cut to the harbor of Amsterdam, the Suez canal, the cut through the Isthmus of Corinth and the Manchester canal all demonstrate the large sums that, under conditions, may be safely expended in behalf of seagoing commerce. In the latter instance the commerce of a single city less in population than Philadelphia has been held to justify outlay of a sum larger than the estimated cost of building the Nicaragua canal. It is reported that within sixty days the rights of the present company may lapse and the work then be carried on under foreign con-

"While it does not seem probable, in view of public sentiment here, that any transatlantic power would interfere in the 1sthmus of Nicaragua, yet this board believes | titioned and occupied by the releption it the true national policy, and much to the interest of American commerce, that foreign interference should be made wholly For these reasons the board hopes that the Representatives in Congress from Philadelphia and the members of the Senate from Pennsylvania will use all proper means to bring about an immediate resumption of the work under American control. Prompt action will also sooner put a stop to the heavy insurance risks around the Horn, and would tend to give at this feeted with the Board of Safety. All day time an impetus to general business greatly | yesterday there was a stream of employes

New parlor goods at Wm. L. Elder's

THE CITY WILL SUE

Council Finance Committee Wants Encampment Fund Balance.

Its Recommendation to the Council-Haughville Annexation Will Not Be Recommended-Improvements.

Messrs, Rauh, Coulter, Stott, Allen and Costello, of the finance committee of the Council, met in the city cierk's office last night to consider the report of the city attorney upon the advisability of bringing suit for the balance of \$17,000 remaining in the hands of the Commercial Club from the encampment fund. The opinion of the city attorney submitted to the Council at its last meeting was to the effect that the city had no recourse against the club and could not recover the money. This opinion was based upon the absence of any reservation in the ordinance making the appropriation. The finance committee finds that Colonel Lilly and Secretary Fortune, of the club, appeared before the old finance committee and represented to it that any balance remaining unexpended after the encampment would be turned back into the city treasury. They thought that upon these representations the city could maintain a suit for the amount, and decided to recommend that suit be brought to recover the entire amount of \$17,000 from the club. This recommendation will be embodied in their report to be made to the Council on next Monday night.

The Haughville annexation ordinance was also taken up. A delegation from Haughville was present to remonstrate against the annexation and presented arguments to the committee against it. Mr. Flack said the residents of Haughville were opposed to annexation because they believed they could conduct the affairs of their local government better under the present arrangement than by admission to the city, and that they could also do it cheaper. Trustee Moore said the town had city. Mr. King and Mr. Canfield, of the Haughville School Board, were also present and spoke against the annexation. Mr. King said that as to the police protection to be furnished, the town, with a population of nearly three thousand, had but one person serving time in the penitentiary, and that most of the crimes committed in the suburb had been shown to have been committed by the tough residents of the city. The committee decided that the city was not in a condition financially to annex the suburb, and will report against annexa-

#### A CALIFORNIA ASPHALT.

The Mayor Receives a Letter from the

Golden State. In the volume of letters received by the Mayor in his inquiries as to the cost of asphalt pavements in other cities are letters from California claiming to have in that State an asphalt of equal quality to the pitch lake product. It is mined in a desert in southern California, is fifty miles inland and buried one hundred feet under the surface. The Mayor has received samples of the unrefined product from the company, and says that to the eye the California product appears to be of superior quality. The cost of the California asphalt, however, is but a trifle less than that of the

The asphalt question is still an open one, though the Board of Public Works has taken the initiative towards throwing open the competition by its modification of the specifications in the Alabama-street case. At the meeting of the board yesterday morning Mr. Fishback was present and asked for a copy of the resolution adopted by the board making the modifications. The decision of the board to use asphalt in this improvement will be fought by some of the property owners. If the case is submitted to the Council it will be the second time since the adoption of the new charter that this has been done. When the question of improving College avenue was up the property owners of that section of the street between Christian and Massachusetts avenues remonstrated, and a two-thirds remonstrance being filed, the question was submitted to the Council, which decided not to improve the street.

The city engineer was instructed to pre-pare specifications for the improvement with asphalt of New York street, from Blake to West street. The space between the car tracks is to be paved with brick, placed upon broken stone. Resolutions were also adopted for paving with asphalt Ohio street, from Mississippi to West street; for a sewer in Tennessee street, from New York to Vermont street; for a sewer in Michigan avenue, from State avenue to Washington street.

BOSSERT GETS THE CONTRACT.

He Will Construct the Big End of the Mississippi-Street Sewer.

At the meeting of the Board of Public Works, yesterday morning, sealed proposals for the construction of the Mississippistreet main sewer were opened and the contract awarded to William Bossert at \$7.92 per lineal foot. The other bidders were: A. Bruner, \$10.15; William B. Mercer, \$9.73; Acme Paving and Contracting Company, \$8.98; Fulmer, Seibert & Co., \$8.89; The Standard Construction Company, \$8.70; William Bossert, \$7.92.

The sewer is to be a total length of 12,578 feet, with a diameter ranging from eight to twelve feet, and its total cost will be \$99,-617.76. It is to begin at a point seventy feet north of Georgia in Mississippi street and extend north in Mississippi street to St. Clair street, east to Meridian street, north to the first alley north of St. Joseph street, east to Pennsylvania street, north to the first alley south of Second street, east to Alabama street, north to Home avenue, east to Central avenue and north to Seventh street. It is one of the main sewers comprising a part of the system of sewerage proposed by expert Hering. The following improvement resolutions

For paving with brick the first alley east of Meridian street, from Second to Fifth street; for paving with brick the first alley south of Fifth street, from Meridian to Pennsylvania street, except the intersection with alley. A petition was filed for cement sidewalks on Broadway from Eleventh street to Eedford avenue; no action. A petition for the vacation of the first alley north of St. Clair street, from Meridian to Chappell street, was filed, but there was no action, The water company was requested to key mains in Tennessee street from New York

BIDS TO BE OPENED.

Contract for Refunding the Big Issue of Bonds to Be Let.

to Vermont street, no plugs to be located.

The bids for the \$600,000 refunding bonds will close at noon to-day, and between that hour and 2 o'clock the bids will be opened by the Controller. By the conditions under which bids are submitted, the bidder is required to deposit with some local bank an amount equal to 5 per cent, of the amount bid and deposit a certified check to that amount with the controller as an evidence of good faith. The controller is made the sole judge of the sufficiency of any bid, and may reject them in all or part, or may award the whole or a part of the bonds to any one or more persons,

Police Station Changes Ordered. The Board of Public Works yesterday ordered repairs at the police station asked for by Superintendent Powell. The old stable room will be refloored and fitted up for toll call room, the front stairway will be removed and the space refloored, which, with the present roll call room, will be parerators, superintendent's and desectives tooms. The entire second floor will then

Employes Paid at the State Bank. The State Bank yesterday began paying the members of the police and fire forces

be arranged for the occupancy of Police Matron Buchanan and reception of female

their salaries under the arrangements per-

Sahm, of the bank, said he thought they had paid about one-fourth the members of each department.

Musical Festival Arrangements. The Board of Works yesterday were to decide whether the board should permit the musical festival association to so arrange its chairs in Tomlinson Hall as to give one additional aisle in the center of the floor. The members visited the hall yesterday afternoon with a committee from the association, but have not yet fully made up their minds to grant the permis-

Opening of North Street.

Chief Clerk Jefferson of the assessment bureau, was ordered to prepare the assessment roll of benefits to property by the opening of North street from Sherman drive to the west donation line. The property to be assessed lies within the boundary of Elizabeth, Hiawatha, Michigan streets and White river.

Another Asphalt Man in Town. James R. B. Van Cleave, of Chicago, general manager of the Bermudez Asphalt Company, called on Mayor Denny yester-day and had a talk with him. The Bermudez company will try to get some con-tracts for paving in this city.

To Open Seventeenth Street. City Engineer Brown is preparing the specifications for the opening of Seventeenth street to a width of fifty feet from

Baltimore to Central avenues.

#### HOG THAT EXCELS

Berkshire Breeders See Great Improvement in Their Swine.

Record Association Holds Its First Annual Meeting and Members Discuss Pertinent Matters.

The first annual meeting of the Berkshire Breeders' Institute of the National Berkshire Record Association was begun in the parlors of English's Hotel yesterday afternoon, at 1 o'clock. It had at first been announced that the institute session would be held in the afternoon and the business contracted for light and water, and this session, at which the officers would be was all it could expect to obtain from the | elected, at night. Owing to the length of the programme prepared for the institute session it was necessary to assign this programme for the afternoon and night. The business session will be held this morning.

President O. P. Welcott called the meeting to order yesterday and briefly reviewed the growth of the association since its organization. On March 1, 1893, about ten breeders met in Pipua, O., and organized the association. The growth was at first very slow, but as the news of the organization spread from place to place in which there were the breeders of the Berkshire hogs applications began to come in, and now the association numbers fifty stockholders. The present men bership includes people from Ohio, Illinois, Iowa, and this

The first talk of the afternoon on a stated subject was by F. O. Lash, of Hendrix, Ill. on "The Berkshire for Profit." In the course of his remarks he said that all of the members were conscientious in the belief that there was more profit in the breeding of Berkshires than of any other breed of swine. They believed this, as they had proof by actual experiment.

L. C. Peterson, of Spring Valley, O., then spoke on the subject, "Should Swine Be Recorded Before Being Allowed to Compete for Prizes in Pure-bred Classes?" He did not believe they should be. "Will a Berk-shire Sow Raise as Large a Per Cent. of Her Pigs as a Sow of Other Breeds? What Per Cent. Do You Raise?" was the subject of H. L. Nowlin, of Lawrenceburg, this State. There is not a member of the association who does not confine himself in raising swine to the breeding solely of the Berkshire, and the members consequently held that the Berkshire is not inferior to any in this respect. At this point in the programme, the hour being rather late, it was resolved to take a recess until 8 o'clock in the evening. The right session was opened by J. Willi

Fulton, of Newark, O., his subject being, "Have Berkshires Improved in Feet and Legs in the Last Five Years?" A number of instances were recalled of cases where the Berkshire, in competition, had shown great improvement, as their per cent. on the list of the judges was much higher than in previous years. This gain was almost entirely in the feet and legs. The discussion up to this time had not been general, for the reason that but two members were assigned for a discussion of each subject. The next subject, "In What Points Have the Berkshires Made the Greatest Improve ment in the Past Two Years? Have They Gained in the Show Ring?" was introduced by S. C. Roush, of Warren, Ind. The programme called for a general discussion or this subject, and in addition to these there were a number of papers read from prominent breeders throughout many of the States who had not been able to attend the meeting. The discussion brought forth many statistics, which were used enthusiastically in showing that the Berkshire was not in the rear ranks in the competition list. It was shown that the greatest improvement was in the development of the feet and legs. The Berkshire showed that he was more nimble and could carry more flesh than in years previous. It was made known that the breeders in the Western States could raise a heavier breed than the breeders in the Eastern States, owing to the greater development of the feet and

legs in the Western States. he business session this morning open by the reading of the minutes of the organization meeting. Secretary E. K. Morris will then offer his report. After hearing the committee's report and considering miscellaneous business the election of officers for the year will be held. The location of the next annual meeting will be announced. A number of places have been

SMALLPOX AT CROWN POINT.

Two Cases There Create a Scare-Well Quarantined.

There are two cases of smallpox at Crown Point, Lake county, and the inhabitants of that town are naturally somewhat stirred up over the appearance of the dread disease. The cases are those of a woman and child, and the board of health has quarantined them so rigidly that it is thought there will be no spread of the contagion. G. D. Branner, secretary of the Lake county health board, is in communication with the State board, and at the latter's meeting to-day the matter will be discussed and any necessary action taken. There is some fear in health board circles that the State may not be able to shake off these occasional smallpox cases for some time. They hang on so tenaciously as to prove aggravating as well as a trifle alarming. It seems impossible to stamp out the disease, and the proximity of Crown

residents of Crown Point are more vigilant than ever just now, and vaccination has increased in popularity there.

Point to Chicago renders the danger of a spread of the plague to that metropolis

more or less imminent. The wide-awake

Valentine Day's Mail. Valentine day loaded the mail carriers down pretty well, and their work yesterday was considerably heavier than usual, though not so burdensome as is usual on that "tender missive" day. There was one satisfactory feature noticeable, and that was the comparatively small number of the vicious comic valentines sent out. This latter class has fallen very largely into disrepute. Yesterday's valentines were mostly of a higher grade. Carriers were delayed by having to stick "due stamps" on many envelopes, and thousands of these "one-centers" added to

County Assessors to Meet.

The county assessors throughout the State will meet here March 14 and 15 to make uniform rates in assessing various taxable properties. It is desired to do away with the inequality of having wheat in one county assessed at four or five times as high a figure as in another county, as frequently happens, and to correct various irregularities of that character.

Will See Stone Hanged.

United States Marshal Hawkins and several others will leave for Jeffersonville at 3:15 this afternoon to be present at the execution of Bud Stone, the Wratten murderer, at the southern prison there, to-night. Stone will be hanged soon after midnight.

WILL DEMAND WORK

The Unemployed Decide to Call Again on the City Officers.

Commercial Directors' Action Towards the Assignment Committee Discussed -Cleaning Snow from the Streets.

About fifty of the unemployed assembled in the Criminal Court room last night. E. B. Cummings acted as chairman of the meeting and called for those who had been charged over price for gas to rise to their feet. Upon the call about fifteen men arose. It was then voted by the meeting to accept the proposition of Denny & Taylor to prosecute, gratis, all cases filed with them as soon as the aggregate amount of the claims should exceed \$50. D. F. Kennedy reported to the meeting the result of the conference with the Board of Public Works and the County Commissioners upon the stone-breaking plan which seemed so glowing at the last meeting night with the offer then made by the commissioners. He reported the result of the commissioners' hedge when it came to the point before the city officials. The city had agreed to take 2,500 cubic yards of broken stone at \$1.25 per cubic yard, and the commissioners said they could not furnish it for less than \$1.75.

Secretary Johnson then made a report of the progress of the work of the committee named to secure the assignment of encampment subscriptions to be used for the benefit of the unemployed. He said the directors of the Commercial Club had changed since the election of officers for the club. While before they favored the plan of assignment by the subscribers, they were now opposing it. He read the answer of the committee published in an evening paper yesterday to the statement of Mr. Erwin published in the morning papers. The committee says that the club has materially changed its position upon the question. Mr. Scott reported that Chris Ernes, residing on Davidson street, had been refused assistance at the food market because he was employed by the city during last summer, and a committee was appointed to in-

Mr. Smith said he thought there was a gigantic scheme back of the asphalting business. The asphalt was controlled by a British monopoly, he said, and the stone used in the concrete was shipped to the city already crushed, and the city residents were not given the benefit of employment. By use of the Trinidad asphalt in street paving the city officials, he said, were bringing about a continuation of a monopoly. When the streets were to be repaired it would have to be done by the same monopoly that had control of the original work. He said there was a scheme to have enough pavement laid so that where it came to repair it would be found necessary to lay one mile of pavement each year in the way of repairs. Mr. Kennedy said the present system of improvement followed by this administration, its predecessor and other cities and municipalities over the country was a farce, because the officials were influenced and controlled by a class which were in the minority. He said the remedy was to be found in the primaries. He suggested that the men present start to work in that way, and at the primaries elect delegates whom they could trust to vote for only such persons as would favor their interests. He said when it came to the election pay no atten-tion to the emblem at the top of the ticket, but vote for the men whom they knew to

It was moved and carried that the men assembled, together with all others who would join them, should go in a body to call upon the Mayor and Board of Public Works and demand work, and that this should be kept up every day till work was given them. It was decided to appoint ten marshals to maintain order at such times, and the following men were chosen as marshals: Cummings, Scott, Palmer, Johnson, Curry, Watts, Smith, Brooks, Green and Walters, A suggestion that all those attending this onslaught upon the city officials should place their name and address upon a slip of paper to be left with the Mayor, in order that he might know who composed the body, was voted down. It was decided that the first visit should be made this morning and 9 o'clock was fixed as the hour. A vote of thanks was tendered those citizens who had assigned their subscriptions to the encampment fund at the request of the committee. The question of precinct organization for political purposes was made the special order for the next meet-ing, to be held Saturday night of this week.

MORE MEN NEEDED.

Relief Committee Not Able to Secure Sufficient Men for Street Cleaning. There were about 250 men working on the streets yesterday, and their progress was noticeable The relief committee furnished 125 men and the street commissioner a like number, all under the supervision of the commissioner. The committee cannot explain why more men, who are certainly out of employment, do not apply for work. They are willing to give work to every one who applies for it. There are a number of men who have been on the food list who have overdrawn their rations and have not since reported for duty. Consequently, to protect itself and to establish a plan that will grant no unequal favors, the committee has ordered that rations shall not be overdrawn and that a day's work shall be required before rations are issued. Yesterday Kingan & Co. gave \$708.30 for the relief work. This sum had been raised by contributions from the employes and the members of the company.

THE BURGLAR A COOL ONE.

He Laughed When Detected in a Noble-Street House.

The home of Thomas McDonald, a traveling salesman for Fahnley & McCrea, was burglarized last night by a cool fellow, who took his own time in completing the job. The McDonalds occupy the lower rooms of a residence at Vermont and Noble streets. The upper apartments are occupied by Mrs. Roberts. About 6 o'clock last night, while the latter was down stairs conversing with her neighbor, a burglar walked into the house by a rear door and found his way to her room. A pocketbook containing several dollars rewarded his effort, and he left before the owner returned. A short time afterwards Mrs. Roberts returned to her rooms, accompanied by Mrs. McDonald. The robbery was discovered, and Mrs. McDonald hastened down to her rooms. Entering the dining room she saw the table had been disturbed. A low chuckle from a corner of the room attracted her attention and she looked around. A roughly dressed man, holding a handkerchief over his face, approached her. She cried out: "Get out of here or I'll cut you to pleces," and the marauder, with an insolent laugh, slowly backed out of the door. Mrs. McDonald was unable to see his face, but is sure that he was a white man. The police were furnished a description of the man, but had not turned him in at a late hour. A set of silver spoons and knives and forks disappeared with the burglar, besides the money taken from Mrs. Roberts.

SHE WANTED A DETECTIVE.

Wife of a Statehouse Deputy After Her Husband.

A very neatly dressed woman, who would not give her name; called on Superintendent Powell yesterday afternoon and asked for the services of a detective for two days. She said that she and her husband, who is a deputy in one of the offices the work of the postoffice employes yester- at the Statehouse, had separated a few days ago because he was keeping company with another woman. She said that on several occasions she had missed articles from the house and that she was positive that he had given them to this woman. She said that she wanted a detective to locate this woman and to see if her missing articles were in her possession. Superintendent Powell told her that she would have to get a private detective to do this work for her She replied that she had spoken to several of them, but that each wanted \$50 to do it. She said that the missing articles were not worth that amount. She was very much put out by the fact that her husband had been the cause of all her trouble. With her black eyes flashing as she tose to depart, she concluded, "Just to think, that that man caused all this trouble, and I would not give \$50 for him."

To Protect Animals in Transit.

mings bill and a communication accompanying it have considered it carefully and directed Secretary Smith to communicate with the principal cattle and live stock exporters in the country with a view to securing their opinion as to whether the adoption of the measure in question was desirable. The Cummings bill provides for an international maritime conference for

the better protection and care of animals in transit. It was accompanied by a communication from the secretary of the Westchester Free Hospital, New York, to the Indianapolis Board of Trade requesting the support of the latter body in the humane movement contemplated. As soon as replies are received to the secretary's letter, the committee will hold

munication and report to the board. ANOTHER TEST CASE

another meeting, take action on the com-

County Officers Will Again Attack the Fee and Salary Law.

Suit to Be Brought To-Day or To-Morrow on the Ground of Special Legislation.

Dr. A. R. Tucker, of Noblesville, auditor of Hamilton county, was in the city yesterday in consultation with Judge Elliott in reference to bringing another suit to test the constitutionality of the fee and salary law. Dr. Tucker is chairman of a committee appointed at the meeting of county officers here last week to go ahead with such a suit if it was deemed advisable. This committee, of which Sheriff Boice, of Benton, Recorder Blocker, of Clinton, and Treasurer Beard, of Huntington, are the other members, was empowered to do anything in the line of prosecuting this litigation that it thought was in the interest of the county officers. Every one of the four members are outspoken advocates of the continuance of the litigation, and there is no doubt that they will urge a fight to the death. As long as the county officers have a legal leg to stand on, as the expression goes, this committee will favor litigation.

It is not surprising therefore that after a long talk with Judge Elliott, yesterday, was decided by Dr. Tucker that suit should be brought at once in the Superior Court of this county to again test the constitutionality of the famous law. The principal ground of the suit this time will be that the act is unconstitutional because it is special inasmuch as it fixes the salaries of the county officers by counties and does not grade them by population as under the old law. Instead of making a horizontal cut, the law specifies each county, and, according to the bill to be filed, clearly comes under the head of "special legislation." Judge Elliott will file this new bill to-day or to-morrow. or to-morrow.

Charged with Pasing a Counterfelt. Martin Woods, a middle-aged colored man living on Hill avenue, was arrested by Deputy United States Marshal Stewart last evening and taken before United States Commissioner Van Buren to answer a charge of passing counterfeit money. He was released on his own recognizance and will furnish bond this morning. Woods is a teamster, and professes ignorance of the offense charged against him, namely, that he passed a counterfeit silver dollar on market last Saturday night. He says if he passed such a coin he doesn't know it, and that any money he had he supposed all right. Woods is inoffensive looking and far from the dime-novel ideal of a counterfeiter. He seems to be confident of his ability to clear himself of the charge.

To Examine Supplies of War. By appointment of the Adjutant-general, Major W. S. Rich, of the Second Regiment Infantry, Lieut. C. A. Garrard, of the First Artillery, and Lieut. W. F. Christian, jr., battalion adjutant of the Second Regiment Infantry, are appointed a board of survey to meet at the quartermaster-general's storerooms Wednesday, March 14, in accordance with the statutes, to examine and fix the responsibility of shortages damaged arms, ordnance stores, camp and garrison equipage and clothing issued to the Indiana Legion and such independent or-ganizations as are accountable to the State.

Charities Conference Reports. The report of the National Conference of Charities and Correction held at Chicago last year will soon be out in book form, and the State board here will have a number of copies. It is a volume of five hundred pages, and is published by the treasurer of the conference, John M. Glenn, of Baltimore. Mr. Glenn is an old man who has spent many years of his life in the work of charity, and is highly thought of by everybody connected with these conferences. He has been blind almost from his birth and is an interesting character.

First Local Horse Auction.

The first attempt to establish horse auction sales at stated times each month was inaugurated yesterday by Blair & Baker. During the day and evening, the sales being continued until 8 p. m., after dark, under electric lights, 160 horses were sold. The highest price any horse brought was Quite a number sold at from \$150 to but the larger number from \$75 to Buyers were here from New York, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Alabama, Illinois and different parts of this State. The biddir was spirited and the whole affair pronounced a success.

Among New Candidates. Almost every day brings out new candidates for a place on the Republican county and township tickets. Edwin B. Twyman will seek the nomination for justice of the peace. Al. W. Womack, a popular traveling man, is being mentioned as a candidate for the shrievalty nomination. O. M. Estes is a candidate for County Commissioner from the First district.

Congressional Committee Meeting. Chairman Gowdy, of the Republican State committee, went to Frankfort yesterday, where the Ninth congressional committee met. From there he goes to Plymouth to attend a meeting of the Thirteenth district committee.

Volunteer Firemen to Meet. The Veteran Volunteer Firemen's Association wil meet this evening in the Circuit Court room of the courthouse at 7:30

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